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From Bourne High School (by number):

3—Nigel Jackson, 5—Nick Pereira, 7—Tyler Ruggiero, 9—Geoffrey Hite, 10—Jason Moriarty, 11—Terrell Rogers, 12—Jovier Nivar, 14—Zach Songer, 21—Chad Marsh, 24—Marquesse Rhodes, 30—Tyler Benotti, 32—Christopher Mayer, 34—Jake Achstetter, 35—Michael Stephens, 60—Connor Collett, 48—Team Captain Joe Epps, 50—Kyle Voss, 51—Dan DiMonda, 55—Brandon Boisvert, 56—Team Captain Jack Schmitt, 57—Manny Pereira, 58—Colin Lanoie, 61—Cody Black, 62—Justin Breton, 63—Tripper Johnson, 64—Tommy Davis, 66—Robert Hodgkinson, 70—Andrew Veliotis, 72—Zachary Keif, 74—Pat Sullivan, 75—Corey Travers, 76—Mike Raftery, 77—Connor Schmitt, 81—Dillon Woodside, 85—Team Captain Drew Girouard, 88—Kent Murtaugh.

Coach: John McIntyre; Assistants: Dave DeFelice, James Lanoie, Terry Donovan, Brent Lyden, Craig Davidson; Athletic Director: Scott Ashworth.

#### HONORING ROBERT F. HALSCH

#### HON. STEVEN R. ROTHMAN

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, December 19, 2011*

Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor my dear friend, Robert F. Halsch, in honor of his 30th anniversary with the Bergen County Community Action Partnership.

Since 1984, Bob has provided exceptional leadership to this multi-faceted anti-poverty organization. As Executive Director he is responsible for supervising 250 employees who run programs related to health, housing, mental health, substance abuse, education, child care, Head Start, immigration, nutrition, energy, asset development, and economic and community development.

Highlights from his tenure include the opening of new Head Start sites, creating a new Federally Qualified Health Center and chartering the first new federal credit union in New Jersey in two decades. Under Bob's leader-

ship, Bergen County CAP was selected as the inaugural recipient of the 1st Annual Charles E. Braithwait Award for Leadership by the National Community Action Foundation (NCAF) for creating new models for economic opportunity for low-income families and the agencies that serve them.

Bob is also the founder and CEO of Community Housing in Partnership, Inc. (CHIP), a HUD certified Community Housing Development Organization created in 1989. This is a New Jersey not-for-profit real estate development company that has developed affordable housing for persons with special needs, homeless persons in transition, older adults, first time homebuyers and low-income renters. Acting as the designated developer for the Jersey City Redevelopment Authority, CHIP recently completed the re-development of a city block in an economically distressed area of the city.

Furthermore, in partnership with the National Community Action Foundation and Southern New Hampshire University, Bob helped initiate a master's program for the benefit of the Community Action Agency Network. Community Action Agency employees from around the Nation have been working toward their master's degrees through this online program.

Mr. Speaker, today I rise to congratulate my dear friend, Robert F. Halsch, on his 30th anniversary as Executive Director of the Bergen County Community Action Partnership. I join with the grateful residents of Bergen County in thanking him for innumerable contributions to the development of our community. I am confident that his leadership and dedication to service will continue to be a blessing to countless New Jerseyans in need.

#### HONORING THE DUXBURY HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

#### HON. WILLIAM R. KEATING

OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, December 19, 2011*

Mr. KEATING. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the Duxbury Dragons in my district who represented their communities in the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association's (MIAA) annual Super Bowls. The teams from Bourne High School, Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School, Duxbury High School, Mashpee High School, and Nantucket High

School won five of the nine Super Bowls across the state, demonstrating a true commitment to excellence in Massachusetts' 10th District. Since 1978 when the MIAA first regulated athletic events in the Commonwealth, these tournaments have highlighted the dedication and discipline of our state's high school football teams, and the five teams from the 10th Congressional District, who won their division Super Bowls, are wonderful examples of the best of high school sports.

I am certain that the student-athletes on Duxbury's high school football team will take the valuable lesson of teamwork they have learned and translate it into many successes in the future. This is a tremendous achievement for the school, coaches and players, and I congratulate them on making everyone in their communities, including myself, proud.

I would like to take a moment to now recognize each of the hardworking athletes and their coach for their achievements both on and off the field.

From Duxbury High School (by number):

1—Tucker Hannon, 2—Reilly Naton (C), 3—Andrew Buron, 4—Khai Perry, 5—Jay McDermott, 6—Greg Williams, 7—Matt Okeefe, 8—James Burke (C), 9—Don Webber (C), 10—Sean McCarthy, 11—Kevin Winchester, 12—James Higgins, 13—Patrick Buell, 14—Ryan Scanlon, 15—Mike Tougas, 16—Keenan Siciliano, 17—Drew Hadley, 19—Luke DiVasta, 20—Max Randall (C), 21—Colin Johnson, 22—Seamus Connelly, 23—Andrew Padula, 24—Jon Hurvitz, 25—Andrew Baker, 26—Joe Guilfoile, 27—Ben Clark, 28—Wes Quinzani, 32—Jim Chappuis, 33—Henry Narlee, 34—Henry Buonagurio (C), 35—Kyle Macleod, 36—Mike Kozmiski, 38—JP O'Neil, 40—Marshall McCarthy.

41—Steven Bouchie, 42—Sean Casey, 43—Chris Haney, 47—Brody Zisko, 49—Martin Moxter, 50—Drew Lawrence, 51—Kevin DiBona, 52—Rick Lippard, 53—Kasey Stefanski, 54—Chris Bertoni, 55—Marcus Urann, 56—Owen Grey, 57—Cam Schofield, 58—Luke Glathorn, 59—Chris Cote, 60—Bill Weld, 61—Cj Loconte, 62—Dave Creed, 63—Mark Trudeau, 64—Bobby Boyle, 65—Sean Gleason, 66—Mike Klein, 67—Theodore Holland, 69—Gordon Acha, 70—Grant Kramer, 71—Brendan Connolly, 72—Rob Kosharek, 73—Carter Bulman, 74—Pat Blair, 75—Winston Schromm, 76—Kevin Lema, 77—Johnny Congdon, 78—Jack Herlihy, 79—Dylan Buckley, 80—Tommy Sarles, 86—Alden Fontana, Coach: Dave Maimaron.